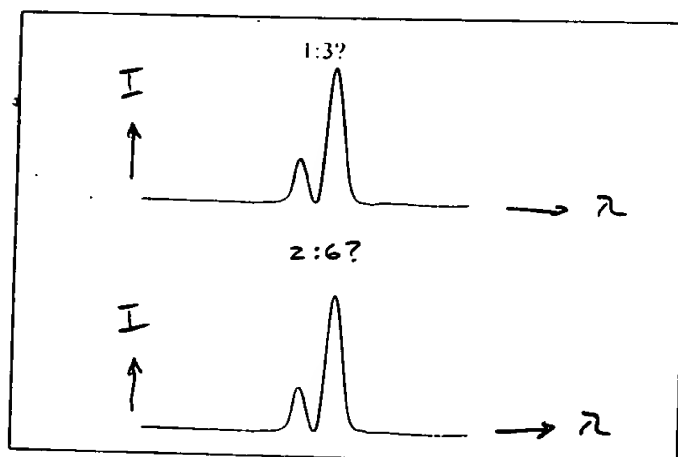


It can be difficult to
 distinguish bar-codes with
 identical relative intensities
 but different absolute
 intensities (i.e. 1:3 or 2:6)



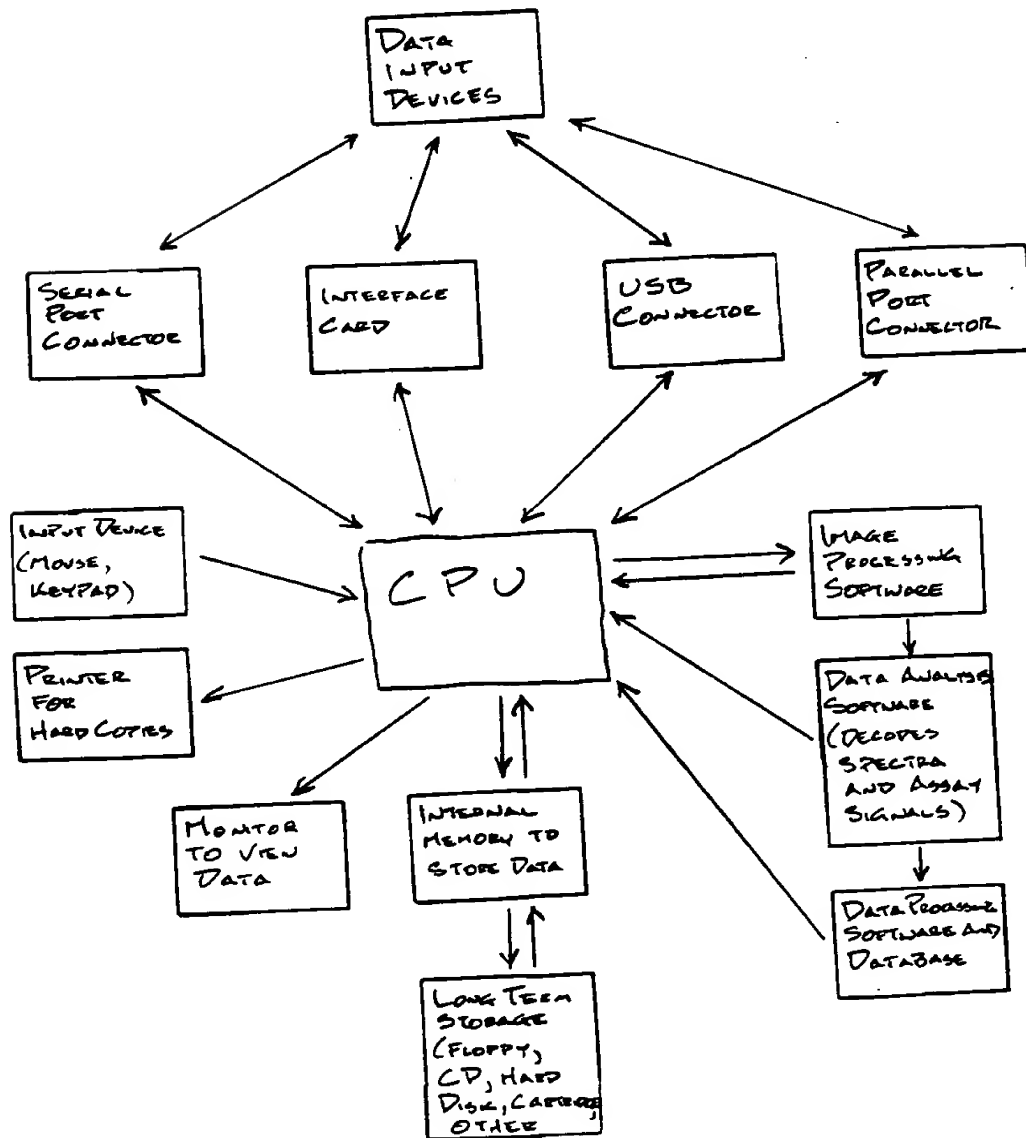


FIG - 1A

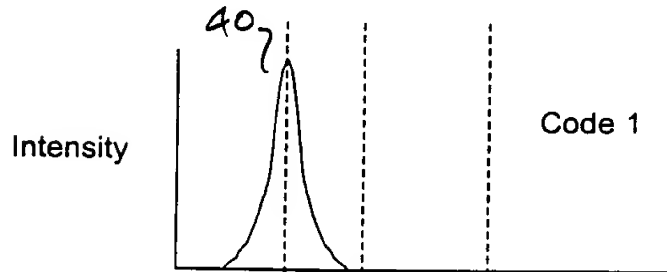


Figure 1B

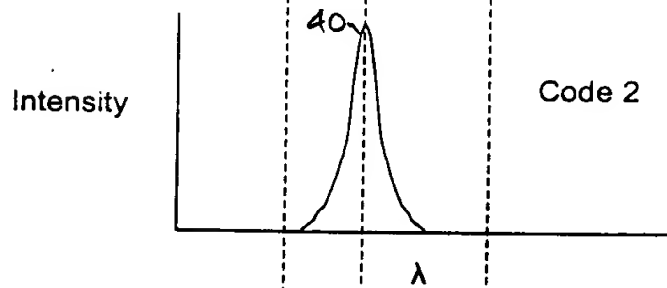


Figure 1C

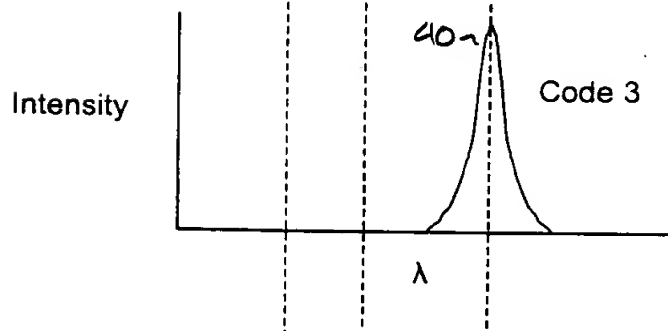
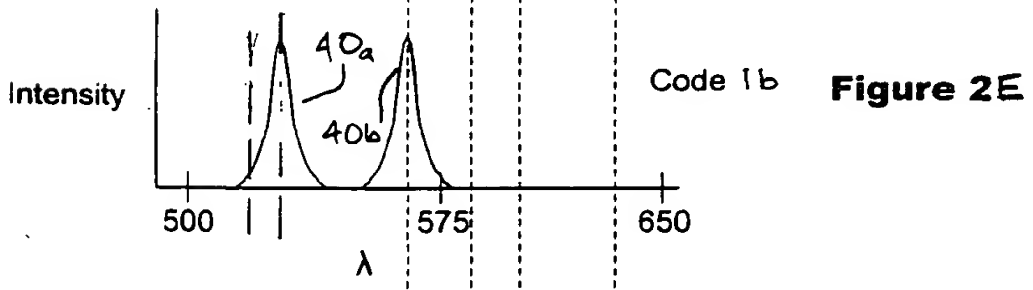
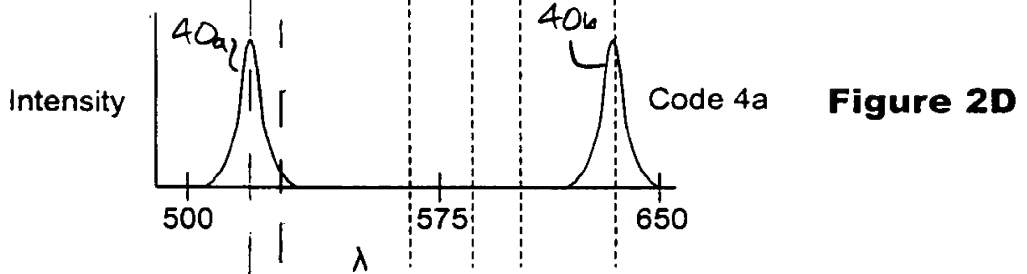
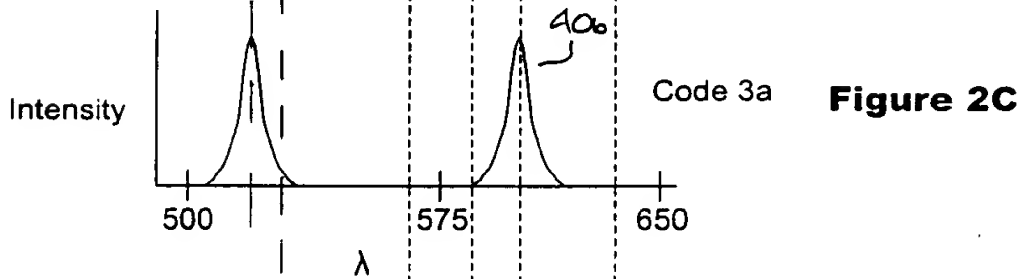
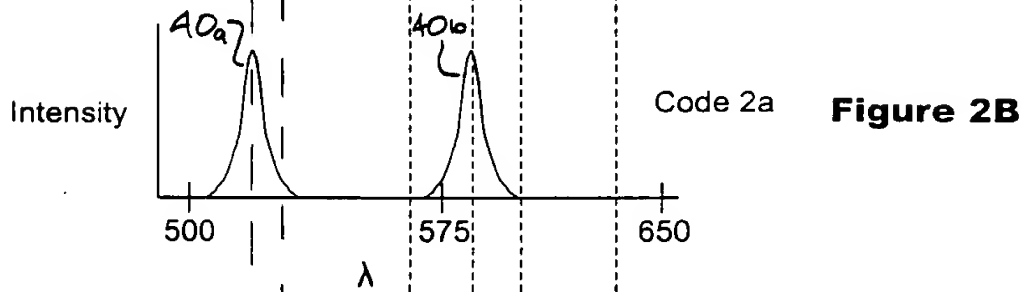
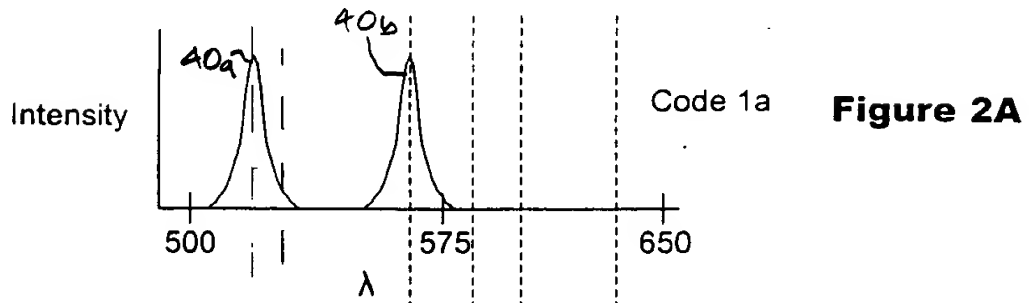
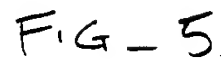


Figure 1D

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Internal reference
 allows unambiguous
 absolute intensity
 barcode reading

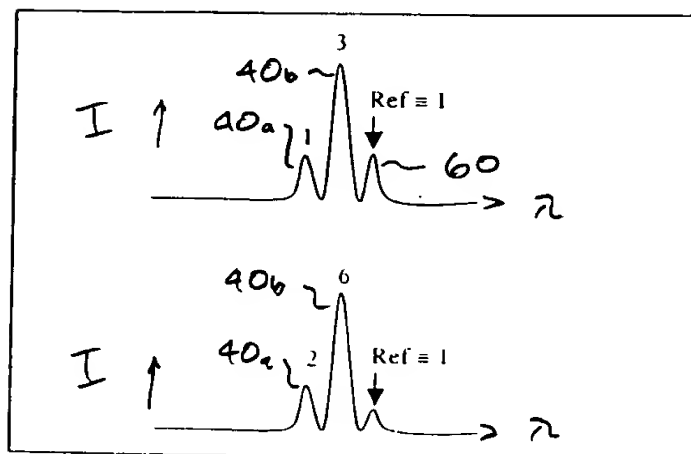


FIG. 6B

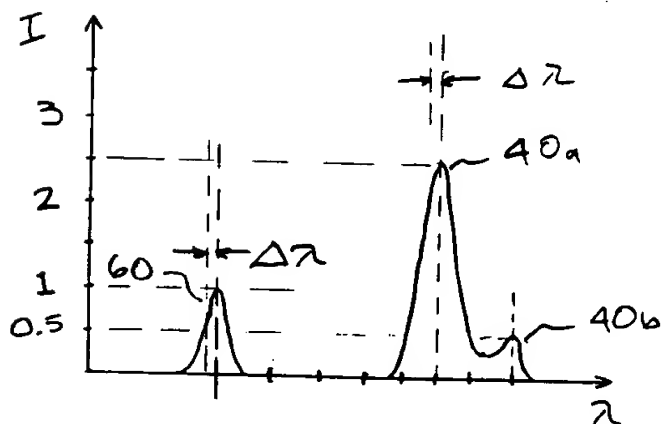


FIG. 7

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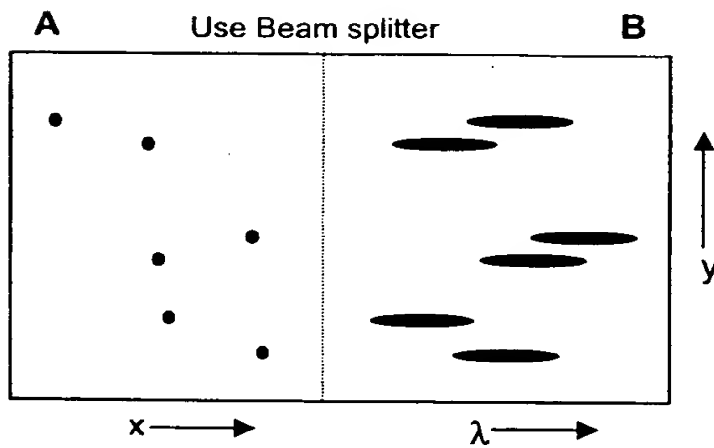


FIG - 8A

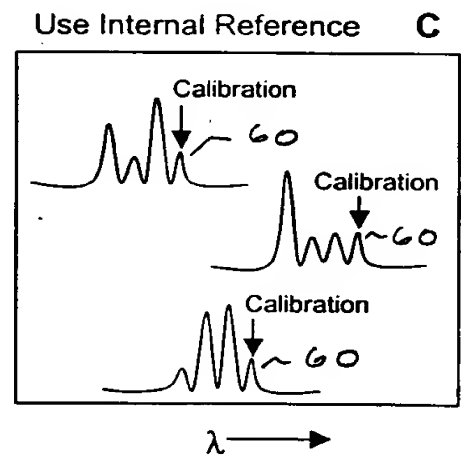


FIG - 8B